



NEWS RELEASE

Date: Thursday, July 10, 2008

District: 5-Santa Barbara, SLO, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties

Contact: Jim Shivers or Colin Jones

Phone (805) 549-3237 or (805) 549-3189

###UPDATE###

HWY. 101 BRIDGE DEMOLITION RESCHEDULED/NEW SPAN TO OPEN FRIDAY

ATASCADERO – A plan to demolish the northbound bridge on Hwy. 101 over Hwy. 41 will be **re-scheduled** to a later date. The date that work will begin has not been determined.

Beginning Friday morning, July 11, motorists headed **northbound** on Hwy. 101 will be diverted onto two lanes of a new bridge over Hwy. 41. This will allow for the re-scheduled demolition and rebuilding of the existing northbound bridge.

All local businesses near the project area remain open for business.

Caltrans reminds motorists the we're here to get you there.'

For traffic updates on other state highway projects in San Luis Obispo County, motorists can call Caltrans District 5 at 805-549-3318 or visit the District 5 website at:

<http://www.dot.ca.gov/dist05/maint/road/upslo.htm>

###

